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MAY 08 2006**PATENT****Attorney Docket No. 149 US UT01****IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application)	<u>PATENT APPLICATION</u>
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Inventor(s): Naoya TSURUSHITA et al.)	
)	Art Unit: 1643
Application No.: 10/788,625)	
)	Examiner: David J. BLANCHARD
Filed: 26 February 2004)	
)	Confirmation No.: 6526
Title: Humanized Chicken Antibodies)	
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Commissioner of Patents
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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Sir/Madam:

This paper is submitted in response to the Office Action mailed February 9, 2006, which set March 9, 2006 as the initial deadline for response. Accordingly, a Petition for a two-month extension of time until May 9, 2006 is enclosed herewith, and this Response is believed to be timely filed. If any fees are required in order to maintain the pendency of the instant application, the Examiner is expressly authorized to charge such fees to Deposit Account No. 50-3270 referencing Attorney Docket No. 149 US UT01. The Examiner is requested to consider the application.